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Claims: 99 - 138 (canceled)

Claims: 139 - 178 (new)

Claims: Cancel all claims of record and substitute new claims 139 through 177 (new) as follows:

139. A supported frozen comestible comprising:

- (a) a frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, and
- (b) a substantially rigid, composite candy support comprising two discernable edible members in contact with each other suitable for supporting said frozen comestible, said two discernable edible members each having a differing flavor, said two discernable edible members each being other than an edible coating, said composite candy support having a first portion extending into said frozen comestible, said first portion having sufficient surface area and means for adherence within said frozen comestible to support said comestible, said

composite candy support having a second portion extending outside said frozen comestible, said second portion having sufficient surface area to provide a utilitarian support for said comestible.

140. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139 wherein one of said two discernable edible members comprises candy.

141. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139 wherein the other of said two discernable edible members comprises a selection from a group consisting essentially of, candy, including chocolate, nuts, crushed nuts, nougat, candy coated pieces of candy, including mini size pieces of individually coated or non coated candies, crushed candy, an unsubstantial amount of rice, grain, or cereal, fruit including coconut, a comestible, comestible pieces, a candy bar ingredient, crispy crunchies, peanut butter, mint, ice cream, gelatin, fruit, and dried fruit puree.

142. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139 wherein the other of said two discernable edible

members is comprised of substantially other than a cookie.

143. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139 wherein the other of said two discernable edible members is comprised of substantially other than grain or granola.
144. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a free standing base on said supported frozen comestible for providing a free standing supported frozen comestible, said supported frozen comestible further includes a plurality of free standing bases.
145. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139 wherein said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance comprises a selection from a group consisting essentially of a) a liquid type confection, including a selection from a group consisting essentially of ice cream, sherbert, ice, ice milk, juice, sorbet, frozen yogurt, pureed fruit, b) medicine, c) pudding, d) gelatin, e) a brownie, f) a cupcake, g) cereal with marshmallow,

h) caramelized popcorn, i) a cookie, and j) multi flavored confections, said multi flavored confections include a selection from a group consisting essentially of 1) a cookie and creme mixture, 2) ice cream and candy pieces, 3) an ice cream and brownie chunk mixture, 4) ice cream, sherbert and shoestring licorice mixture, and 5) swirls of different colored and flavored comestibles.

146. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a sufficient surface area on said second portion so that a person can hold said composite candy support and said frozen comestible with a hand, said sufficient surface area further includes supplying two handles to said person, one for each hand.

147. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a plurality of additional members in contact with said two discernable edible members on said composite candy support for construction of a composite candy support having a plurality of flavors, textures, and tastes, said plurality of

additional members further comprises gum.

148. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a lollipop placed on said composite candy support comprising a body of an edible substance, for a triple treat, said lollipop provides increased surface area for adherence of said supported frozen comestible to said composite candy support for consumption, said lollipop further includes a plurality of confections placed concentrically on said composite candy support, said lollipop further comprises a toy shaped lollipop, said lollipop further comprises gum.

149. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a plurality of cookies on the front and back of said supported frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, for providing a sandwiched, supported frozen comestible.

150. The supported frozen comestible of claim of 139, further including a void in said composite candy support, said void comprises means for providing

additional adherence of said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support for avoiding said frozen comestible prematurely falling off said composite candy support during consumption, said composite candy support further comprises a plurality of voids.

151. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including means for decorating and depicting features and clothing on a whimsical supported frozen comestible, said means for decorating further includes decorating a whimsical confection comprising a lengthy appendage, for extending beyond said whimsical supported frozen comestible.
152. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including means for inhibiting the breakage of said composite candy support comprising a) means for manufacturing said composite candy support with ingredients for sustaining increased stress against breakage, b) means for providing ingredients running in a plurality of directions or a

combination of directions for inhibiting the horizontal breaking of said composite candy support, c) using specific combinations and multiple layers of ingredients for making said support stronger, d) means for providing a plurality of different ingredients running concentrically, parallel, or maneuvered within said composite candy support, including twisted within said composite candy support, e) means for monitoring the amounts of moisture, shortening, sugar, air, air bubbles in said ingredients, f) means for providing a suitable size and shape for supporting said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, g) means for providing a chewy texture to prevent cracking and breakage of said composite candy support, h) means for providing a mess guard for strengthening and preventing damage to said composite candy support, and h) means for providing protective packaging, shipping and handling for ensuring intact products.

153. The composite candy support for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible of claim 139, further including an edible moisture proof barrier

coating on said composite candy support comprising
a) means for preventing the transfer of moisture
from said frozen comestible comprising a body of an
edible substance to said composite candy support,
b) means for providing a secure hold of said frozen
comestible to said composite candy support for
consumption of said supported frozen comestible, c)
means for providing a prolonged shelf life for said
supported frozen comestible, d) means for providing
additional flavor and enjoyment on said composite
candy support, said moisture proof barrier coating
further includes texture for lending extra
adherence of said frozen comestible comprising a
body of an edible substance to said composite candy
support, said texture further provides an easier
grip for the fingers.

154. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139,
further including a protective messguard on said
composite candy support, for providing a physical
barrier for effectively keeping fingers from
melting ingredients, and for providing means for
strengthening and preventing damage to said edible
support including wrapping said mess guard around

said edible composite support or placing said mess guard on all sides of said edible support, said protective mess guard further comprises an edible mess guard.

155. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a protective drip guard on said supported frozen comestible for catching melting portions of said supported frozen comestible for preventing a mess on fingers and clothing, said protective drip guard further comprises an edible drip guard.

156. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a plurality of differing frozen comestibles supported on said composite candy support, said plurality of differing comestibles comprises a plurality of colors, shapes, sizes, flavors, and ingredients, said plurality of differing frozen comestibles further comprises an edible coating over each of said differing frozen comestibles for added separation, texture and flavor, said plurality of differing frozen comestibles further comprises being placed

concentrically on said composite candy support.

157. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139, further including a plurality of supports adhered in said frozen supported frozen comestible for providing a twin supported frozen comestible, said twin supported frozen comestible comprises means for sharing.

158. The supported frozen comestible of claim 139 further including a three dimensional supported frozen comestible, said three dimensional supported frozen comestible further includes an animated figure.

159. A substantially rigid, composite candy support suitable for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, comprising two discernable edible members in contact with each other, said two discernable edible members each having a differing flavor, said two discernable edible members each being other than a candy coating, said composite candy support comprises a first portion for extending into said subsequently frozen comestible, said first

portion having sufficient surface area and means for adherence within said subsequently frozen comestible to dependably support said frozen comestible, said composite candy support comprises a second portion for extending outside said subsequently frozen comestible, said second portion comprises sufficient surface area for providing a utilitarian support for said subsequently frozen comestible.

160. The composite candy support for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible of claim 159 wherein one of said two discernable edible members comprises candy.

161. The composite candy support for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible of claim 159 wherein the other of said two discernable edible members comprises a selection from a group consisting essentially of, candy, including chocolate, nuts, crushed nuts, crushed candy, nougat, candy coated pieces of candy, including mini size pieces of individually coated or non coated candies, an unsubstantial amount of rice, grain, or cereal, fruit including coconut, a comestible, comestible

pieces, a candy bar ingredient, crispy crunchies, peanut butter, mint, ice cream, gelatin, fruit, and dried fruit puree.

162. The composite candy support for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible of claim 159, further including an edible moisture proof barrier coating on said composite candy support comprising a) means for preventing the transfer of moisture from said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support, b) means for providing a secure hold of said frozen comestible to said composite candy support for consumption of said supported frozen comestible, c) means for providing a prolonged shelf life for said supported frozen comestible, d) means for providing additional flavor and enjoyment on said composite candy support, said moisture proof barrier coating further includes texture for lending extra adherence of said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support, said texture further provides an easier grip for the fingers.

163. The composite candy support for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible of claim 159, further including means for inhibiting the breakage of said composite candy support comprising, a) means for manufacturing said composite candy support with ingredients that sustain increased stress against breakage, b) means for providing ingredients running in any direction or a combination of directions for inhibiting the horizontal breaking of said composite candy support, c) using specific combinations and multi layers of ingredients for making said support stronger, d) means for providing a plurality of different ingredients running concentrically, parallel, or maneuvered within said composite candy support, including twisted within said composite candy support, e) means for monitoring the amounts of moisture, shortening, sugar, air, air bubbles in said ingredients, f) means for providing a mess guard for strengthening and preventing damage to said composite candy support, including wrapping said mess guard around said edible composite support or placing said mess guard on all sides of said edible support, and g) means for providing protective packaging, shipping and handling for

ensuring intact products.

164. The composite candy support for use in supporting a subsequently frozen comestible of claim 159, further including a free standing base on said composite candy support for providing a subsequently free standing supported frozen comestible, said subsequently frozen comestible further comprises a plurality of free standing bases.

165. A supported frozen comestible comprising:

- (a) a comestible comprising a body of an edible substance suitable for freezing,
- (b) a substantially rigid composite candy support comprising two edible members in contact with each other suitable for supporting said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance suitable for freezing, said two discernable edible members each having a differing flavor, said two edible members each being other than a candy coating, said two edible members each being other than a cookie, and
- (c) means for supporting said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance suitable for freezing.

166. The supported frozen comestible of claim 165 wherein one of said two edible members comprises candy.
167. The supported frozen comestible of claim 165 wherein the other of said two discernable edible members comprises a selection from a group consisting essentially of, candy, including chocolate, nuts, crushed nuts, crushed candy, nougat, candy coated pieces of candy, including mini size pieces of individually coated or non coated candies, an unsubstantial amount of rice, grain, or cereal, fruit including coconut, a comestible, comestible pieces, crispy crunchies, peanut butter, a candy bar ingredient, mint, ice cream, gelatin, fruit, and dried fruit puree.
168. The supported frozen comestible of claim 165, further including a sufficient surface area on said second portion so that a person can hold said composite candy support and said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance with a hand, said sufficient surface area further includes supplying two handles to said person, one for each

hand.

169. The supported frozen comestible of claim 165, further including an edible moisture proof barrier coating on said composite candy support comprising

- a) means for preventing the transfer of moisture from said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support,
- b) means for providing a secure hold of said frozen comestible to said composite candy support for consumption of said supported frozen comestible, c)
- means for providing a prolonged shelf life for said supported frozen comestible, d) means for providing additional flavor and enjoyment on said composite candy support, said moisture proof barrier coating further includes texture for lending extra adherence of said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support, said texture further provides an easier grip for the fingers.

170. A method of providing a supported frozen comestible comprising:

- (a) providing a comestible comprising a body of an edible

substance suitable for freezing,

- (b) providing a substantially rigid composite candy support comprising two edible members in contact with each other suitable for supporting said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, said two discernable edible members each having a differing flavor, said two edible members each being other than a candy coating, said composite candy support having first and second portions for supporting said comestible,
- (c) inserting said first portion of said composite candy support into said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, said first portion comprising sufficient surface area and means for adherence within said comestible to support said comestible,
- (d) freezing said comestible and said composite candy support, and
- (e) leaving said second portion, having sufficient surface area outside of said comestible to provide a utilitarian support for said comestible, whereby a consumer may enjoy a safer, longer lasting composite candy supported frozen confection.

171. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170, further including a

sufficient surface area on said second portion so that a person can hold said composite candy support and said frozen comestible with a hand, said sufficient surface area further includes supplying two handles to said person, one for each hand.

172. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170 wherein one of said two edible members in contact with each other suitable for supporting said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance comprises candy.

173. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170 wherein the other of said two discernable edible members comprises a selection from a group consisting essentially of, candy, including chocolate, nuts, crushed nuts, crushed candy, nougat, candy coated pieces of candy, including mini size pieces of individually coated or non coated candies, an unsubstantial amount of rice, grain, or cereal, fruit including coconut, a comestible, comestible pieces, crispy crunchies, peanut butter, a candy bar ingredient, mint, ice cream, gelatin, fruit, and dried fruit

puree.

174. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170, further including a free standing base for providing a free standing supported frozen comestible, said method of providing a supported frozen comestible further comprises a plurality of free standing base.

175. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170, further including a lollipop placed on said composite candy support for a triple treat, said lollipop provides increased surface area for adherence of said supported frozen comestible to said composite candy support for consumption, said lollipop further includes a plurality of confections placed concentrically on said composite candy support, said lollipop further includes a toy shaped lollipop, said lollipop comprises gum.

176. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170, further including an edible moisture proof barrier coating on said

composite candy support comprising a) means for preventing the transfer of moisture from said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support, b) means for providing a secure hold of said frozen comestible to said composite candy support for consumption of said supported frozen comestible, c) means for providing a prolonged shelf life for said supported frozen comestible, d) means for providing additional flavor and enjoyment on said composite candy support, said moisture proof barrier coating further includes texture for lending extra adherence of said frozen comestible comprising a body of an edible substance to said composite candy support, said texture further provides an easier grip for the fingers.

177. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170, further including means for inhibiting the breakage of said composite candy support comprising, a) means for manufacturing said composite candy support with ingredients that sustain more stress against breakage, b) means for providing ingredients running in any direction or a

combination of directions for inhibiting the horizontal breaking of said composite candy support, c) using specific combinations and multi layers of ingredients for making said support stronger, d) means for providing a plurality of different ingredients running concentrically, parallel, or maneuvered within said composite candy support, including twisted within said composite candy support, e) means for monitoring the amounts of moisture, shortening, sugar, air, air bubbles in said ingredients, f) means for providing a mess guard for strengthening and preventing damage to said composite candy support, including wrapping said mess guard around said edible composite support or placing said mess guard on all sides of said edible support, and g) means for providing protective packaging, shipping and handling for ensuring intact products.

178. The method of providing a supported frozen comestible of claim 170, further including a moveable sleeve of a predetermined shape surrounding the sides of said comestible comprising a body of an edible substance, for exposing said

comestible for consumption, and for providing a pushing pop supported comestible, said moveable sleeve of said predetermined shape further comprises an edible sleeve.